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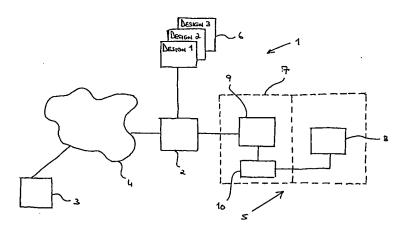


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(57) Abstract

A system for the customisation of jewellery comprises: a design server operable to produce a design of a desired jewellery piece to be manufactured; a user access facility operable by a user of the system to access the design server; a communication channel between the design server and the user access facility; and a rapid prototyping facility together with a production facility for manufacturing the desired jewellery piece from a design produced by the design server.